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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for responding to the non-final Office Action mailed July 3, 2006 be extended for a period of one (1) month from October 3, 2006 to and including November 3, 2006.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$120.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is submitted herewith for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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